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ASSISTANCE TO STATE AGRICULTURE UNIVERSITIES
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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) the financial assistance provided by the Indian Council for Agricultural Research (ICAR) to the State Agricultural Universities during the Tenth and Eleventh Five Year Plans alongwith the utilization status thereof, year-wise and University-wise; and

(b) the details of the research projects sanctioned by the ICAR to the Mathura DDUV and SAU during each of the last three years and current year?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD & PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION (PROF. K.V. THOMAS)

(a) The financial assistance provided by the Indian Council of Agricultural Research (ICAR) to the State Agricultural Universities during Xth and XIth Plan (2007-upto-August 2009) is provided in Annexure-I. The Agricultural Universities have utilized funds for the purpose it was given.

(b) Two outreach programmes on
(i) Ethnoveterinary Medicine,
(ii) Zoonotic disease, and a project under the Sub-Scheme Niche area of Excellence and one Unit of Experiential Learning have been sanctioned to the University. Apart from that an All India Coordinated Research Project on Foot and Mouth diseases is continuing in the University.